

## SAYS MRS. GOULD DRANK TO EXCESS

Witnesses Declare She Was  
Frequently Intoxicated.

### COCKTAILS SERVED IN ROOM

When Witnesses Testified to the Alleged Violent and Profane Language She Used, Mrs. Gould Buried Her Face in Her Hands and Wept.

New York, June 16.—Torn with anger and extreme humiliation, alternately flushing with shame, sobbing or clutching her hands in exasperation, Katherine Clemmons Gould sat through a trying ordeal in the supreme court at the continuation of her suit for separation against Howard Gould, third son of the late Jay Gould.

It was a day of testimony for the defense, during which Mr. Gould's attorney sought to bring out through witnesses who had been associated with Mrs. Gould, that her habits were such that her husband was justified in leaving her. In the event of proving this, the defense hopes to undermine the charge of abandonment, the only phase of the plaintiff's case which has withstood the attacks of opposing counsel. Justice Dowling having ruled out the charges of cruelty and non-support.

Buried Her Face in Her Hands. Witnesses for the defense recited the indulgence of this woman of fashion in the matter of alcoholic stimulants, and told further, while the heavily veiled Mrs. Gould buried her burning face in her hands, of certain remarks and conversations not exactly in keeping with \$500 gowns and the palatial Castle Gould on Long Island.

It was during this testimony concerning some of the alleged violent and profane language, some of it as related too strong to be printed with propriety, that Mrs. Gould wept most.

Specific statements that Mrs. Gould had been intoxicated on various occasions, that she called Howard Gould "you little hound" one night, that once she was apparently so under the influence of liquor as to stagger against the banister at Castle Gould, that her maid brought liquors to her room, including some times two cocktails before breakfast, were among the statements brought out as evidence of the Gould estate related on the stand their experiences with their former mistress.

Said She Couldn't Walk Straight. Whether or not fit for managing a household, it was a rather erratic administration that Mrs. Gould conducted at Castle Gould, according to most of the testimony. Verbal clashes with the manager of the great estate, heated arguments at the hen coop with carpenters, one of whom testified that she "couldn't walk straight" at the time; a period when she remained in her room for two weeks, consuming during that time seven bottles of brandy with other liquors—these incidents and others were sworn to on the stand. Also, there was an account by a former steward of an exciting night when, he said, she wanted the house locked, although Howard Gould was out on the front lawn. This, said the steward, did not seem to appeal to Mrs. Gould as an argument against closing the front door, and she told him to go ahead and lock up. To appease her, he testified, he shut the door but did not lock it.

This was the night that Mrs. Gould is said to have called her husband "little hound," a term which she applied to him, as testified, after he had come to her room to see what the matter was, confusion having been spread through the great castle by the ringing of bells in Mrs. Gould's room and the burglar alarm system. Cost of Society Woman's Gowns. In answer to questions regarding the cost of her various dresses, etc., Mrs. Gould while on the witness stand gave the following estimates:

Dinner gowns, \$500 to \$800.  
Morning gowns, \$100 to \$150.  
Day gowns (worn shopping, etc.), \$500.  
Tea gowns, \$300 to \$400.  
Reception gowns, \$500.  
For motor and coaching and driving, the witness said, she required particular gowns, but did not say how much she paid for them.  
Mrs. Gould testified that her costume cost her \$35,000 to \$40,000 a year.  
Additional facts brought out during Mrs. Gould's cross-examination were:  
Her allowance was \$10,000 a month.  
Never wore same gown twice, because it would be "very bad for" five times per day.  
Time consumed in each change, two or three hours.  
Assistance of two maids required at each toilette.

Embezzling Postmaster Sentenced. Charleston, W. Va., June 16.—Judge Keller, of the federal court, imposed a fine of \$3943.55 and a jail sentence of one year upon M. E. Calligan, who is charged with misappropriating government funds while serving as postmaster at Thurmond, W. Va. The fine represents the amount of the embezzlement.

Explosion Kills Four. Denver, Colo., June 16.—Four men were killed and four injured in an explosion in the power plant of the Denver Gas and Electric company. The plant was badly damaged.

### OVERSTAYED HER VISIT

So Brother-in-Law Made Girl Pay Her Board.

Wilkes-Barre, Pa., June 16.—Miss Ellen McCloskey, of New York city, was arraigned before Alderman Donohue here for non-payment of a board bill, the action being commenced by her brother-in-law, Edward Miano, of this city. Three weeks ago Miss McCloskey came here on a visit for two weeks. Then she remained a third week and told the alderman that she aided her sister with the house work to pay for her lodging and board for the third week. Brother-in-law Miano would not have it that way, however, and demanded \$8 board. When she refused to pay he had her arrested. To avoid further unpleasantness, she paid the amount.

### THIEVES RETURN MONEY

Used \$5000 to Furnish Their Homes and Sent Back \$15,000.

Seattle, Wash., June 16.—Mrs. George Shea, of Duluth, who notified the police on May 30 that \$20,000 which she had concealed under the mattress of her bed had been stolen, has received \$15,000 in a letter signed "Two Thieves." The writers say they used \$5000 to furnish their home, and having no further use for the money returned it to the owner.

## MRS. CLEVELAND DENIES SIGNATURE

Says False Name Was Signed  
to Brandenburg's Article.

New York, June 16.—Mrs. Frances Folsom Cleveland testified for the prosecution in the case of Broughton Brandenburg, a magazine writer, who is charged with selling to the New York Times a political article purporting to have been written by former President Grover Cleveland.

Mrs. Cleveland was dressed in deep mourning, but was self-possessed, though pale, while on the stand. She



MRS. GROVER CLEVELAND.

declared emphatically that the signature to the article in question was not that of her husband. Also, she pointed out the differences between the signature and the genuine Cleveland signature as it appeared on several checks which were handed to her.

The former president wrote with a very unsteady hand during the later years of his life, the witness said, whereas the name signed to the Brandenburg article was written in a comparatively bold, legible hand, more like that of Mr. Cleveland during his younger days in the White House.

### SAYS CHEAP FOOD IS GONE

Educator Declares Population Is Out-taking Supply.

Kingston, R. I., June 16.—"We have seen the last of cheap bread in this country," said Eugene Davenport, the dean of the University of Illinois, at the graduation exercises of Rhode Island State college.

Dean Davenport estimated that in another 100 years the population of the United States would be 1,400,000,000, or more than 400 to the square mile of territory, and said:

"Any way you can figure it, we are near the end of cheap food in this country, which means that population is beginning to overtake the food supply."

Gets Thirty Months For 1 Cent Theft. Brooklyn, N. Y., June 16.—John Curran, twenty-four years old, was given two years and six months in Sing Sing by Judge Dike for robbing Thomas Quayle of one penny. Quayle testified that Curran knocked him down in the doorway of a cheap lodging house to get the cent, which he was jingling in his hand with an old key.

Two Men Drowned; Dog Saved. Newark, N. J., June 16.—Two men and a dog went out in a round-bottomed boat in a small lake in a park here. The dog returned to shore alive, but the men are dead. Charles Peterson and William Rover, both laborers aged about thirty years, are the victims. The boat upset and neither of the men could swim.

Crushed by Steam Roller. Chicago, June 16.—Peter Zualino, whose duty it was to walk ahead of a steam roller and warn pedestrians, fell in front of the machine and was crushed to death.

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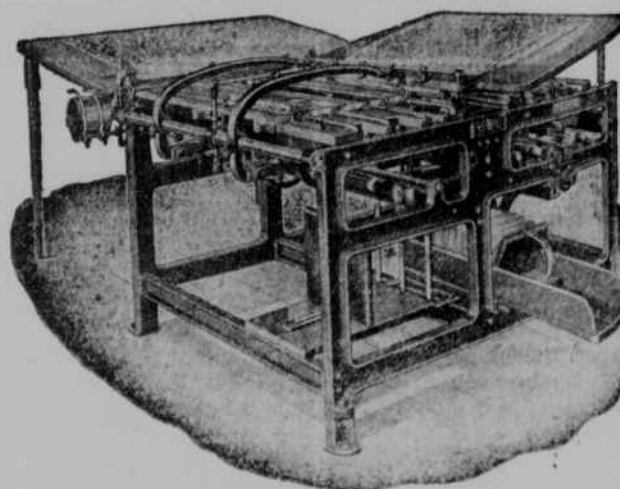
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